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HELM BRUCE ADDRESSES LARGE INTERESTED AUDIENCE

Politics opened up for the fall campaign in the Presidential race yesterday with the address at the court house in the afternoon by Mr. Helm Bruce, of Louisville. Mr. Bruce was introduced to the audience by Hon. E. M. Dickson, in a speech full of feeling, delivered in a his usual impressive way. Mr. Bruce spoke for an hour and a half, devoting most of the time to the League of Nations. He was given the closest attention, and his familiarity with his subject enabled him to present in its most favorable light that much-discussed project.

Mr. Bruce is an independent voter, and his alignment in Democratic ranks is indicative of the ground swell among the independent progressive voters of Kentucky. At various times Mr. Bruce has supported the Democratic tickets. In 1917 he supported the Republican ticket in Louisville because he believed it for the best interests of the city. His attitude carries particular weight with the Republican voters this fall. It is the moral and spiritual issue involved in the League of Nations that influenced Mr. Bruce to swing his influence to the Democratic cause this November. To him the only hope for world peace is through the agency of President James M. Cox and a Democratic Senate.

"Am I my brother's keeper?" is the issue of the campaign, according to Mr. Bruce. "The issue is simple and easily understood," he said. "The Democrats favor going into the League of Nations, the Republicans are opposed to it. A vote for Harding will be to vote against going in. A vote for Cox is to enter the League, and it will be so understood the world over. That I do not mistake the meaning of the Republican candidate and ticket is testified to by the fact that Senators Johnson and Borah, avowed and bitter opponents, not only of this but of any league, are satisfied with Harding's position." Referring to Harding's vague declaration in favor of the Hague Tribunal with teeth in it, because Harding recognizes that the Court is at present powerless, Mr. Bruce said that the Republicans candidate does not deign to tell how he will perform this dental operation. "One thing is clear," said the speaker, "the teeth will be false teeth."

Mr. Bruce took up in details various articles of the League covenant and explained in easily comprehensible fashion how they operated. "For my part," said Mr. Bruce, "I do not hesitate one moment to declare myself in favor of an agreement, a binding agreement, which will operate to keep world peace, in the first place, through the compelling power of public opinion; in the second place by the operation of economic measures, such as the boycott and the severance and cessation of all communications, thus

FALSE ALARMS KEEP FIRE DEPARTMENT BUSY.

Three false alarms and two small fires kept the fire department busy between Saturday night and Sunday night. Someone evidently anxious to see the new auto fire fighter make a run, turned in alarms from boxes in different parts of the city. The department responded to two alarms where small blazes were quickly extinguished with no property losses in either case. A determined effort is to be made by the authorities to locate the parties who are turning in false alarms, and a vigorous prosecution will follow.

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SEVERELY BURNED

Former Councilman John Merringer is carrying his right hand in a mass of medicated bandages as the result of a recent accident. A pocket of gas exploded while Mr. Merringer was attaching a gas burner to a heating apparatus at his plumbing establishment Friday afternoon, inflicting burns about the head and hand. But it would take more than a gas explosion to disturb the jovial good nature and the hearty laugh that make John Merringer so popular a man.

accomplishing isolation, stagnation and starvation of the recalcitrant nation, and lastly, if necessary, and only if necessary, by force, to whatever extent is needed. It is said that we give some of our independence by entering the League. That is true only in the sense that any man who makes a contract gives up some of his independence. If I agree to go to work for you all day tomorrow I give up the right I would otherwise have to go on an all-day picnic. But if I am adequately compensated for my work I am not the loser. A savage is freer than a member of civilized society. But the member of society is compensated for the loss of absolute freedom by the protection society gives him. And so a nation which joins a society of nations gives up some of its absolute independence, but is compensated for it by the assured peace of the world, including itself. And as we are a part of the world, we have rights in it, obligations to it, and we are interested in its peace."

In conclusion Mr. Bruce said: "No one claims that the League covenant is perfect. If it were, it would be a miracle. It is the work of imperfect human beings, of men who were working without a model, and upon a difficult subject. Let us vote for the League of Nations next November 2, by casting our votes for Cox and Roosevelt and Beckham, who favor it. Let us vote and work and pray for the peace of the world."

ORPHAN BRIGADE HAVE GREAT TIME AT XALAPA

Following the business and social sessions which marked their visit to Paris, the veterans of the Orphan Brigade and their guests, the ex-Confederate soldiers of Paris and Bourbon county were guests Friday at the Xalapa Farm of Edward F. Simms, near Paris. The Orphans and their guests were conveyed to the farm in automobiles and motor trucks, gayly floating the National and Confederate colors. They were accompanied by John C. Weber's band, from Cincinnati.

Arriving at the Xalapa Farm, they were received by Mr. Ben Buckner, resident manager, Mrs. Buckner and Miss Lucy B. Simms, sister of Mr. Simms, the latter not being able to attend. After the formalities had been gone over they were taken on an inspection tour of the estate, marveling at its extent and beauty. Old-time camp-fires had been built at different points on the farm, around which the veterans gathered and reviewed the trying scenes of '61-65. Music by Weber's Band enlivened the occasion.

At noon an old-fashioned burgoon dinner was served the visitors on two long tables, decorated with Confederate and American flags and a profusion of beautiful flowers, grown on the farm. While enjoying the after-dinner cigars, the veterans listened to a splendid address delivered, on their invitation, by Hon. E. M. Dickson, of Paris. As he recited the history of the many thrilling engagements in which the Orphan Brigade took part, he was frequently interrupted by the old "rebel yell," as the veterans grew enthusiastic. At the conclusion of the meeting the Orphans and their guests were brought back to Paris, where they bid good bye to their entertainers. It was the unanimous opinion, expressed in a set of resolutions, that this was the most enjoyable reunion the Orphans had passed in many years.

Edward F. Simms, who is a son of Col. William Simms, a war veteran and member of the Confederate Congress, was unable to be present. Mr. Simms sent a lengthy telegram to Mr. Harry Holt, which was read at the meeting, as follows:

"Please say to the veterans of the Orphan Brigade and other Confederate soldiers who are honoring us by their presence at Xalapa Farm to-day that only circumstances of the most imperative nature requiring my presence here, could have prevented me from being present in Kentucky to greet them at our place. It is a high privilege that Bourbon county enjoys in having such distinguished guests, and in behalf of the county as well as for Xalapa, I beg to extend to these old soldiers a most cordial and affectionate welcome. They belong to a great generation of Kentuckians. Their devotion to duty and principle, their brilliant military record, will ever remain one of the proudest pages in the history of our State and Nation. As long as the South, nay, the Nation, takes pride in its ancient memories of chivalry, of unflinching courage and unselfish devotion to principle, the names of these men will be honored and revered, and their gallant deeds extolled. It is the seed of their stock and of their adversaries of the sixties who wore the blue, that stopped the Hun in the great European war just closed, and although the heart is saddened by the thought of the thousands of American young soldiers who now sleep the long sleep on those distant foreign shores, we know that while our Nation has implanted in the hearts of its citizenship this spirit of high courage and heroic sacrifice, the spirit of soldiers of the Confederacy, a willingness to suffer, to die, if need be, for principle, to give all and do all for the cause believed to be just, our Nation and our people will survive, and the institutions of human liberty and freedom set up by our forefathers be preserved to humanity forever and forevermore. These distinguished veterans have lived to see the perpetuation in later generations of their own heroic spirit and heroic deeds, and we of to-day felicitate ourselves that our generation has known theirs. They have our admiration and our love. We honor them and cherish them as we do all that is noble, all that is knightly and fine in the best traditions of our race."

Mrs. Ben Hardin Helm, with her daughters and son, Mrs. Lewis, Miss Katherine Helm, and Ben Hardin Helm, were honored guests during the meeting. Mrs. Helm is "Mother of Orphan Brigade," and her portrait appeared on the badges of red, white and blue, worn by the veterans of the Brigade. Her husband commanded the Brigade, and after his death they gave Mrs. Helm the honorary title. In the addresses made during the reunion beautiful tributes were paid to her.

The following Confederate visitors attended the reunion:

D. N. Gordon, Pewee Valley, Company A, Eleventh Kentucky Cavalry; R. S. Hall, Pewee Valley, Company D, Tenth Kentucky Cavalry; A. N. Kiser, Pewee Valley, Company C, Fifth Kentucky Cavalry; Andrew Broadus, Louisville, Ky., Company I, Second Kentucky Cavalry; John Chipley, Cynthiana, Company E, Fifth Kentucky Regiment; Joseph E. Hedges, Paris, Ky., Company C, Ninth Kentucky Regiment; Joseph W. Wasson, Paris, Ky., Company D, Ninth Kentucky Regiment; Harry Piper, Lexington, Ky., Company E, Second Kentucky Cavalry; W. C. Goodman, Paris, Ky., First Battalion; James S. Clark, Millersburg, Ky., Company F, Marshall Brigade; R. P. Thomson, Millersburg, Ky., Company A, Fifth Kentucky; Eli

UNKNOWN ITALIAN'S IDENTITY NOW ESTABLISHED

After patient and painstaking efforts on the part of Coroner Rudolph Davis, and the local and general officials of the Louisville & Nashville railroad, the identity of dead man who has been at the Geo. W. Davis undertaking establishment in this city for several weeks, has at last been conclusively established. The man proves to be Joe Garda, of Detroit, Mich.

It will be recalled that Garda, in company with another Italian, presumably one James Thomas, became insane while riding on a northbound passenger train of the Louisville & Nashville, a few miles below Paris, Garda, after despoiling his gold watch, some papers and \$120 in gold coin on the seat, leaped from the window of the car while the train was going at a high rate of speed. He sustained injuries which resulted in his death a few days after he had been received at the Massie Memorial Hospital, in this city. Coroner Davis had a photo and death mask made of the man. These, with a full description of the dead man, were used in an effort to establish his identity. Copies were forwarded to Detroit, Mich., where the most promising clue had developed. Last Friday, Coroner Davis received the following letter, which set the matter at rest:

"Dear Sir:—Replying to your letter of September 25, I wish to state that our officers interviewed John Hathaze, living at 55 Harwood Place, and he identified the photograph you sent me as that of Joe Garda, who was rooming at this place, and who left here September 2 for Kentucky in company with Jim Thomas, and they have heard nothing from him since that time. Our officers made inquiries and found that Garda had a bank account at the Bank of Detroit, but drew out balance of \$300 on the day he left here. John Hathaze will communicate further with you.

"Sincerely Yours,

"EDWARD H. FOX,

"Chief of Detectives."

The body, which was embalmed, is in a good state of preservation at the George W. Davis undertaking rooms, and it is probable that the remains will be claimed by relatives and sent to Detroit for burial.

Coroner Davis received the following letter from R. W. Bondurant, Postmaster at the Lynch Mines, Kentucky, whose aid had been enlisted in the hunt:

"Attached you will find newspaper clippings, photograph and card, which was sent to this office by you on September 12. These were turned over to Mr. Steve Lucas, transportation agent for the United States Coal and Coke Co., of this city. The reason they have not been returned sooner is that they were taken to Detroit by Mr. Lucas on his recent trip to try to identify the man, as he did not know who he was."

BOURBON COUNTY FARM OF 322 ACRES AT AUCTION

The John J. McClintock and Mrs. Lou Palmer farm, will be sold at auction on October 8, at 10:30 p. m. Read ad in another column.

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Blackburn, Georgetown, Ky., Company A, Ninth Kentucky Cavalry; John S. Gaines, Georgetown, Ky., Company A, Ninth Kentucky Cavalry; M. P. Ewing, Georgetown, Ky., Company E, Fifth Kentucky Cavalry; Perry Jewell, Little Rock, Ky., Colonel Clay Regiment; M. H. Haggard, Georgetown, Ky., Company C, Eleventh Kentucky Regiment; George W. Muir, Lexington, Ky., Company B, Eighth Kentucky Cavalry; J. A. Faulkner, Woodford County, Semple's Battery; W. C. Stipp, Clintonville, Ky., Company D, Eighth Kentucky Regiment; G. S. Byrns, Lexington, Ky., Company B, Fifth Kentucky Cavalry; A. W. Macklin, Frankfort, Ky., Company C, Ninth Kentucky Cavalry; C. F. Estill, Lexington, Ky., Company A, Eighth Kentucky Cavalry; Wallace Batterton, Riddles Mills, Ky., Company C, Fifth Kentucky Cavalry; J. N. Stone, North Middletown, Ky., Company D, Eighth Kentucky Cavalry; W. M. Moore, Cynthiana, Ky., Tenth Mississippi Infantry; Nathan B. Detharidge, Richmond, Ky., Company B, Chenault Regiment; Horace M. Taylor, Carlisle, Ky., Company E, Eighth Kentucky Regiment; Charles H. Meng, North Middletown, Ky., Company C, Ninth Kentucky Regiment; W. H. Robb, Helena, Ky., Company F, Third Kentucky Regiment; G. H. Preston, Paris, Ky., Third Battery; Samuel Talbot, Bourbon County, Captain Everett's Company; W. J. Stone, Kuttawa, Ky., Company G, First Kentucky Cavalry; Judge John H. Crain, Lawrenceburg, Ky., Company J, Second Kentucky Regiment; Captain James R. Rogers, Paris, Ky., Colonel Clay's Battery; M. G. Hildreth, Paris, Ky., Company D, Eighth Kentucky Regiment; J. B. Logan, Lexington, Ky., Company F, Sixty-third Virginia Regiment; George B. Taylor, Nicholasville, Ky., Company E, Eighth Kentucky Cavalry; S. D. Bivens, N. Middletown, Ky., Company I, Eighth Kentucky Cavalry; W. M. Morgan, North Middletown, Ky., Company A, First Kentucky Regiment; Judge Harry Brent, Paris, Ky., Company C, Fifth Kentucky Cavalry; J. C. Bedford, Paris, Ky., Company C, Fifth Kentucky Cavalry; J. Harry Holt, Paris, Ky., Company C, Ninth Kentucky Cavalry.

OCTOBER COURT DAY.

The political speaking by Mr. Helm Bruce, of Louisville, at the court house yesterday, was the occasion for a much larger crowd of Court Day visitors in the city than there would have been otherwise. Busy, as the farmers are, they would not have deserted their pressing work for anything else. The attendance was unusually good, but from surface indications, there was very little activity in the usual Court Day business. The stock market was dull and sluggish, the offerings comprising a mixed variety of horses and cattle, which brought fairly good prices. Merchants report only a moderate volume of business, but with collection good. Politics and the tobacco situation combined formed the main topics among the farmers who came to the city. The usual itinerant exhorters held forth on the public square. As one farmer remarked: "It's a good day for talking, but not much of a business day."

Auctioneer M. F. Kenney sold in front of the court house door for Silas E. Bedford and Dr. Bruce Smith, executors of the estate of the late Aaron Smedley, five United States \$500 bonds of the first issue, for \$88.75 on the hundred, five bonds of the second issue, for \$88.00 on the hundred, and four \$400 bonds of the third issue, for \$78.60, all being taken by George W. Wilder. He also sold a Liberty Bond, \$250 denomination, property of the Smedley estate, to Harry L. Mitchell, for \$96.

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RENEWED PLEDGES TO HOLY NAME SOCIETY.

Delegations from all the surrounding cities of the Bluegrass marched in the same parade of the Holy Name Society, in Lexington, Sunday afternoon. Over 1,500 men were in line, exclusive of the two bands and the Boy Scouts. Following the parade the men all gathered in Woodland Park, where an altar had been built in the open, and bowed their heads while they renewed the pledge to uphold the principles of the organization. Paris and Bourbon county were well represented by a large delegation from the local Council Knights of Columbus, and from the congregation of the Church of the Annunciation in this city.

LET LEVY DO IT

Why buy a new Fall suit? I can make that last winter's suit look like new.

LEVY, THE DRY CLEANER.
(5oct-1f)

MISS ROBERTS ADDRESSES VOTERS AT COURT HOUSE

Speaking Saturday night at the court house in this city, to a large audience, fully two-thirds of whom were women, Miss Iva Roberts, of Danville, expounded in a very eloquent and comprehensive manner the doctrine of democracy from a woman's viewpoint. The speaker was introduced to the audience by Mrs. William Garrard Talbott, chairman of the Bourbon County Democratic Women's Campaign Committee.

Miss Roberts stated in her opening remarks that she came to Paris with a message from the leaders of the Democratic party, principally to urge upon the white women of the city to register on Tuesday, October 5, and to fully inform themselves on all the issues between the parties, and to go to the polls in November in the interest of the Democratic candidates. She impressed upon her hearers the fact that the white race must always rule this country, and that it was absolutely essential that the white women of the country should do their duty at the polls. She praised the League of Nations, as advocated by President Wilson and other prominent members of the Democratic party, and roundly scored former President William Howard Taft for his vacillating attitude toward President Wilson, "who is not merely plain Woodrow Wilson, but President Woodrow Wilson, the President of the whole United States of America." Miss Roberts' speech was enthusiastically received, and cheered to the echo. She is a speaker of remarkable power and has a command of language that might well be the envy of old campaigners.

GET OUT THAT WINTER SUIT

I have the facilities right here at home for all kinds of dry cleaning. I can make that old suit or overcoat look like new.

LEVY, THE DRY CLEANER.
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PICTURE PROGRAM AT GRAND AND ALAMO

To-day, Tuesday, October 5.—Vivian Rich, in "Would You Forgive?" Stuart Holmes and Frankie Mann, in second episode of new serial, "Trailed By Three." Pathe News.

To-morrow, Wednesday, October 6.—William Farnum, in "Wings of the Morning;" Joe Ryan and Jean Paige, in "Hidden Dangers;" Topics of the Day.

Thursday, October 7.—Madame Traverser, in "The Iron Heart;" Mack Sennett Comedy, "Let 'Er Go;" Pathe News.

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